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SETTING UP OF ALUMINIUM PLANTS
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Will the Minister of MINES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to set up any new aluminium plants in the country including Madhya Pradesh;

(b) if so, the details thereof, location wise; and

(c) the time by which the said plants are likely to be made operational?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR MINES AND STEEL (SHRI VISHNU DEO SAI)

(a) & (b): National Aluminium Company Limited (NALCO), a Central Public Sector Enterprise (CPSE) under the administrative control of Ministry of Mines, plans to set up an aluminium smelter plant at Sundergarh District in Odisha subject to availability of Natural Resources. NALCO has also submitted an "Intention to invest" proposal during the MP Global Investors Summit in October, 2014 to set up an aluminium smelter plant in Madhya Pradesh, depending upon the availability of Natural Resources.

(c): The above projects are in nascent stage and no time frame can be given.